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Dear Northeast NPR-A Plan Amendment Alaska State Office,

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DO NOT DRILL IN ALASKA for the following reasons:

1. It would require 6-10 years to get oil delivered.
2. The predicted amount of oil would be minimal considering the US usage, therefore is not a effective solution.
3. Native Alaskan ecology would be irreparably damaged.
4. Oil companies would require taxpayer subsidies and I object to supporting the oil companies.
5. Global warming is causing the tundra to melt so much that current Alaskan oil operations are considering working in the winter and NOT working in the summer.
6. Current pipeline foundations are sinking due to global warming so the long-term expense of maintaining a pipeline would be tremendous.
7. Increasing the auto/truck mileage requirements would do FAR MORE than drilling in Alaska, -- and would be permanent, i.e., AFTER the planned Alaskan oil would be depleted.
8. Global warming mitigation requires significantly decreased use of fossil fuels. Surely within the next 6 years decision makers will take actions to reduce the global warming looming disaster. IF so, drilling for more oil is not a responsible use of taxpayer money.

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I hope someone will have read this far, and, that what I have said above is both understood and incorporated into policy.

Please choose Alternative A, the No Action Alternative, in this plan.

Sincerely,

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Attached: None